

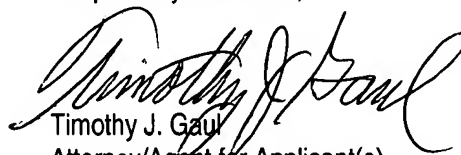
REMARKS

With regard to the Examiner's request for a substitute Oath or Declaration, enclosed is a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney, as filed in the parent case, Continuation-in-Part Application Serial No. 09/563,286, filed May 3, 2000. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner replace the enclosed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the one currently on file, in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.63 (d) (1).

The amendments to the specification respond to the objections to the drawings. No new matter is introduced through these amendments.

An Amendment and Petition to Correct Inventorship under 37 CFR § 1.48 (b) is being filed concurrently herewith (a copy of which is attached).

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